HB 1465 -- COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE ARRANGEMENTS

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This bill changes the laws regarding collaborative practice arrangements between advanced practice registered nurses and physicians.

Currently, an advanced practice nurse must have the collaborating physician review a minimum of 10% of his or her charts every 14 days. This bill states that the collaborating physician does not need to be present at the health care practitioner's site.

The bill waives the one month requirement of practicing with the collaborating physician when the collaborative physician is new to a patient population that the collaborating advanced practice registered nurse, physician assistant, or assistant physician is already familiar.

This bill is similar to HB 633 (2015).